

Attorney Docket No.: 1333-DIV2-00

In re Application of Kiyozo Asada et al.

Serial No.:

09/775,964

Filed:

February 2, 2001

For:

METHOD FOR GENE TRANSFER INTO TARGET CELLS WITH RETROVIRUS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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In response to the Official Action dated May 12, 2004, please amend the Application as follows: